

AGENDA



DOVER WEST NEIGHBOURHOOD FORUM

Thursday, 10th July, 2008, at 6.30 pm
Wooton Village Hall, Wooton Lane
Wooton, Nr Canterbury CT4 6RT

Ask for: **Will Farmer**
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Refreshments and an opportunity for informal discussions between members of the public and members of the Neighbourhood Forum will be available from 6.00 pm

Engaging Youth and Young People's Services

Please encourage any young people along to the meeting as we value their input

6.30 pm **Welcome** - Cllr Jeff Goodsall, Chairman

- 1a. Apologies
- 1b. Matters arising and notes from previous meetings
- 1c. Any Declarations of Interest

6.35 pm **Work of an Area Youth and Community Officer in the Dover district**

Bill Butler, Area Youth and Community Officer for Dover district, Kent County Council, will give a short presentation on what his work involves; his experiences with young people and their hopes, aspirations and frustrations. Bill will also talk about how the district and county work together to improve young peoples' experiences and quality of life. Young people from the Dover Youth Forum will also speak.

6.40 pm **Sports Development and Leisure Services for Young People**

Sarah Philpott, Sports Development Officer, Dover District Council Youth Leisure Services, will provide a short overview of her role, including how young people (and families) can become involved.

6.45 pm **Grant opportunities available to young people for positive activities**

Caroline Flynn, Kent County Council, Youth Opportunity Fund, will give a short presentation on the grant opportunities available for young people to develop positive activities and things to do.

6.50 pm **Group sessions**

The presenters will then join the audience for round table sessions (20 minutes at each table) to discuss in greater depth the issues and wishes of young people living within the Dover North area and ideas on how to involve them and improve youth provision.

8.05 pm **Summary of the Evening**

Brief feedback from each of the tables on what was discussed and the priorities identified to be taken away for action.

8.20 pm **Future Discussion Topics**

Brief discussion on topics to consider at future meetings.

8.25 pm **Small Community Capital Project Grants**

Brief update from KCC on the applications received to date for the Dover West Neighbourhood Forum.

There will be the opportunity for questions throughout the course of the meeting.

At the end of the public session, Members of the Committee should remain in the meeting room for 20 minutes for summing up

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Reminder: Funding for local community projects

The closing date for applications to the DDC/KCC Small Community Capital Project grant is **29th August 2008**. Please contact Will Farmer (01622 696911) for advice and an application pack.

KCC Member Community Grants and KCC Local Schemes Grant (for either revenue or capital projects) are also available. Please contact Will Farmer for details.

Date of future meetings (all 6.00 pm for 6.30 pm start):

- 2nd October 2008: Theme: Health Update (TBC) and Grant Recommendations
- 19th January 2009: Theme: TBC

Dover District Council Youth Strategy

This Youth Strategy is available to download from the Councils website:

www.dover.gov.uk/youth/strategy.asp

Members of the Dover West Neighbourhood Forum Area

Chair: Cllr Jeff Goodsell, Whitfield Parish Council
Vice Chair: Cllr Jenny Miles, Temple Ewell Parish Council

Kent County Council, Dover West Electoral Division
Cllr Bryan Cope

Dover Wards and Councillors

Capel-le-Ferne ~ Cllr Frederick Scales
Shepherdswell ~ Cllr Mrs Jennifer Record & Cllr David Lloyd-Jones
Lydden & Temple Ewell ~ Cllr Roger Frayne
River ~ Cllr Mrs Sue Nicholas and Cllr Andrew Richardson
Whitfield ~ Cllr Peter Lodge & Cllr Clive Meredith

Dover Parish Councils

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